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Report to the Chairman, Subcommittee
on Immigration, Refugees, and
International Law, Committee on the
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IMMIGRATION CONTROL

Deporting and Excluding Aliens From the United States





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The Honorable Bruce A. Morrison
Chairman, Subcommittee on Immigration,
Refugees, and International Law
Committee on the Judiciary
House of Representatives

Dear Mr. Chairman:

This report responds to the Subcommittee's request that we examine the procedures used to deport or exclude aliens from the United States.

As arranged with the Subcommittee, unless you publicly announce the contents of this report earlier, we plan no further distribution until 30 days after the report date. At that time, we will send copies of this report to the Attorney General, Department of Justice; the Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service; the Director, Executive Office for Immigration Review; and other interested parties.

Major contributors to this report are listed in appendix VI. Please call me on 275-8389 if you have any questions.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lowell Dodge".

Lowell Dodge
Director, Administration of
Justice Issues